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Fraudulent Trust Article

In response to a request from Marlene Crooks dated November 19, 1997, we have reviewed the attached article entitled: <u>Just Because It's a Trust, Doesn't Mean It's Trustworthy</u>, concerning fraudulent trusts, and have found no legal concerns.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Martin Needle of my staff on 622-4470.

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Attachment:
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